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Locally Heavy Rainfall Possible Through Tuesday; Prepare to Take Action if Flooding Occurs

The National Weather Service (NWS) Guam Weather Forecast Office issued a **hydrologic outlook** for Guam, Rota, Tinian, and Saipan. A tropical disturbance is expected to develop within the eastern sector of the monsoon trough just to the west of Agrihan by late Sunday.

Amounts between 2 and 4 inches of rainfall, with locally heavier amounts in excess of 4 to 6 inches is possible for the Marianas through Tuesday.

Localized flooding is possible in low-lying and poor drainage areas, while flash flooding will be possible in areas of heaviest rainfall, especially near steep terrain. Those living in flood-prone areas should keep aware of conditions in the event of heavy showers over the island; clear drainage areas and unblock clogged storm drains in your area to minimize flooding and watch for any additional advisories.

The Offices of Guam Homeland Security and Civil Defense (GHS/OCD), in coordination with NWS, will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates. GHS/OCD reminds the community to stay up to date with the latest information and watch for possible advisories in the coming days.

Visit the following links for the latest advisory information:

- NWS Website: <https://www.weather.gov/gum/>
- NWS Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/NWSGuam/>
- GHS/OCD Website: <https://ghs.guam.gov/>
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